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sold liquor and Terry would always stand ...

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...on the floor and say liquor is for selling, not for drinking, so he didn't drink it. He knew the For that I would fault him. harm it caused. There's a requirement in the law which I cannot understand that says if you want a liquor license you must be a person of good moral character. I have never been able to understand what good moral character has to do with selling liquor. It seems that if your moral character is good enough you're not going to sell liquor, but that's another part of the story. I have gone through the amendment. I'm going to try to make it a bit clearer. Do I have another time to speak, Mr. President?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Yes, you do, Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. We are discussing the Chambers amendment, AM0907, to the committee amendments to LB 114. On those, Senator Quandahl, followed by Senators Schimek, Robak, and Chambers. Senator Quandahl.

SENATOR QUANDAHL: Thank you. Just...just briefly, I guess I can understand Senator Chambers' frustration with being saddled with...with statutes that may have been passed by previous Legislatures, but his particular, at least this particular, amendment that he proposes to the bill would probably be best a subject of a separate bill to be introduced and have a proper public hearing before the General Affairs Committee. And for that reason, I would oppose this particular amendment to LB 114. I guess I'd also say that I guess I would hope that...I see this bill as kind of a ship going through the canal and I would hope that the number of amendments or barnacles that get attached to it aren't so numerous that they slow it down and actually sink the ship. And so, for that reason, I would oppose this particular amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Quandahl. Senator